

January 1950
Benares, India

NAMASTE - Happy Valley School Council,

A very, very happy New Year to each of you! I shall be glad to have letters describing your party and how everything went and I wish I could have been there as I have always liked the Christmas parties so much.

It is a month since I have left you and I will try and give you some of my impressions. If you will follow our trip on the map, you will then know where these countries are. I left Los Angeles in the evening and arrived early the next morning in Hawaii. This was Thanks-giving day; had a swim and a long walk and was full of the beauty of the island. In the evening had dinner in a modern house with friends. The house was on a hill overlooking Honolulu. It was most extraordinarily beautiful. The next day swam and walked five miles to the aquarium (I hope you are impressed with how long I walked) and in the evening enplaned for Australia, passing the international date line, on the way. We lost a day which I still have not recovered and will not, even after I return to Ojai. This is a cause of great worry to me and I hope one of you will kindly find it for me. It was a Saturday, I think, but the day does not matter. I can understand all the hours that have changed, as this has to do with the sun. I know when I go to bed at night, you are getting up in the morning. I think there is 13-1/2 hours' difference.

The next day we stopped at Nandi in the Fiji Islands, a very tropical place, and at 3 p.m. we arrived in Sydney. My husband and host met me and we stayed in a place called St. Ives, outside Sydney in the country. Australia is not unlike California and is known to have one of the three most beautiful harbours in the world. I do not like the architecture there but the house we stayed in, was modern and charming which had appeared in many magazines, represented as what was best in modern architecture in Australia.

Australia is developing its own language derived from English, as America has. Many houses are on the harbour facing what is called the Heads with beautiful views. In Australia when you speak of going north, it is to a hot climate and vice versa; going south is a colder one. I felt like Alice in Wonderland.

Again at night several days later, Krishnaji and I left Sydney for India. My husband was to return the next day to America. The next morning we arrived in Darwin, N. Australia, which was in the tropics. We had breakfast and bath there and then left for Jakarta, Indonesia. A large delegation had come to see Krishnaji and then we left for Singapore. I was sorry not to have seen something of Java as I have been told what a lovely island it is.

We were late in arriving in Singapore and were put up over night in a famous hotel called "Raffles Hotel." The next morning, we were taken by bus on a tour and I was enchanted by all that I

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saw - beauty, happy people, no poverty, the most even climate in the world - little difference between noon and mid-night and no summer and winter. It is very near to the equator. That night we arrived in Calcutta.

There is nothing like travelling with a famous person, as we were met by Sir Rama Rao, who is the Governor of the Reserve Bank of India. He cleared us through the customs quickly and whisked us away to their apartment. We bathed, fed, slept and early next morning left for Banaras. No matter how much one is prepared for it, the poverty here in India is a great shock. It is known as the land of contrasts and it is all this and more. You cannot imagine it and I will not dwell upon it. We are staying here in a school campus, overlooking the Ganga or the Ganges river as the English called it.

There are three schools here of over 700 students, a Girls' College, a Boy's College and a Childrens' School for younger children. I am truly on a bus-man's holiday, as I go to many School meetings, classes, talk to teachers and students. They all want to know all about you and if you heard yourselves described, you would be surprised how nice you really are and how lucky you are to be born in a country, where you have enough to eat and all the advantages that you do have. Of course, the students here also have them as they come from the more well-to-do families. They call me Rosalindji here and all the teachers are called "ji's" after their names.

I am happy to be among the young people here, as one cannot have worked and lived as long as some of us have with you, without a real love for each one. It makes me think of all of you, collectively and separately very often and I am glad to have this opportunity to be quiet, as when one is doing a lot of administrative work, it sometimes makes one seem more concerned with the work than the people. We know the work has to be done and we only do it because we have such faith in you, that you will somehow, at least many of you, do your utmost to help build a better world than we have.

This is to wish each one of you a most happy New Year and to send you my love and good wishes.

RR

Sep 13 '1953.

233 CHESTNUT STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 11, CALIFORNIA

Dear Mrs Kellogg and Jean,

We cannot find words to express to you what a lovely time we had on your beautiful point or how much it meant to us to find two such wonderful friends. I do hope that you will both really come to Ojai this year and I am looking forward to this with much happiness. If Jean cannot bring you, dear Mrs Kellogg, perhaps you and Wendy could come to gether & Jean could fetch you.

Our car had distributor trouble and we were delayed two hours in Monterey and so we were two hours late for our luncheon. The parents had arranged a nice lunch in the garden and then took us to

the factory of the uncle of one of our
graduates to see some new + most
exciting inventions, it would take
pages to tell you about them. We
arrived late that evening in S. F. and
you can imagine how we blessed you
for such a nice dinner already prepared.

I hope you are both well and that the
weather continues to be as nice as when
we were there. It was really a lovely drive
here.

The school informs me that
the two teachers from abroad have
been granted visas subject to an OK
from the State department. which is
good news.

With every good wish to

you both affectionately

Rosalind

P.S. I can hardly wait as everything is being put out

P. I thank you again for everything R.

October 30, 1953

Dear Jean:

Thank you so much for your letters and cards and clippings about the museum.

Thank you also very much for your continued interest in this school and it is very nice for you to recommend it. We have sent you three catalogues, three talks by Mr. Huxley and myself and the yearbooks are going out today. The school is going extremely well but I am very busy and concentrated on the work here.

Will you please thank your mother for her two nice letters and for sending me the telephone bill as she promised. I shall be writing to her in a few days and will be sending her a check, but for the moment I have misplaced the bill and will have to look it up at home. I do hope that your mother is feeling well and that all is well with you.

I hope that you both will try to come to Ojai this year -- the weather is lovely. I hope that your weather is as beautiful now as it was when we were in Carmel.

With much love to you both,

Yours affectionately,

Rosalind

THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL
OJAI, CALIFORNIA

August 20, 1954

Dear Jean:

Thank you for your letter and interest in this school. I have written a letter to your cousin and sent the talks, yearbook and catalogue to them. We are also sending you some more material about the school.

We feel very close to the Point and its inhabitants, and I still hope very much that you and your mother will spend some time here this winter. We stayed in a very tiny house with Radha, Jimmy and their two babies and are now busy in Ojai trying to see to the opening of school, and Krishnaji is giving interviews. We feel much better having had this lovely holiday in the north. We are very fortunate that the weather here is cool as we felt rather spoilt by the nice cool weather in Carmel and Berkeley.

Thank you again ever so much for all your kindness, and I hope we shall see you soon.

With much love,

Rosalind

Miss Jean Kellogg
Route 1, Box 141
Carmel, Calif.

Route 1, Box 141, Carmel, Calif.
December 10, 1954.

Dear Rosalind:

It was good of you to write the note of acknowledgement of the scholarship plan just as you left for the east.

Since then we have thought it wise to word the plan specifically as follows to properly cover all angles. I think you will see at once that the wording is essential to a proper and realistic arrangement, and will allow for any disaster on my side and the usual ups and downs of the years.

I have written a scholarship Fund into my will, but I prefer to refer to it merely as the Fund, which will enable me to keep the amount flexible. The sum I am to give each year has no relation to the Fund in my will, and only represents my desire to be associated with the work of the School from now on.

So would you be good enough to incorporate the detail the following paragraphs (marked with blue) in a brief acknowledgement to me, and send me back my former letter to you. I will then file the new statement in my safe deposit together with my will.

It is my intention to help a child interested in Art- Painting, Sculpture or the Graphic Arts- in the year 1955-1956- with a two-hundred and fifty dollar (\$250.-) scholarship and to renew this scholarship from year to year if it is possible for me to do so. I also intend to provide for a scholarship fund in Art for the School in my will, and my executors will carry this out, if the estate permits.

I will let you know each spring what the exact sum for the following year will be.

I do hope you had a fine trip east and some rest.

Copy

THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL
OJAI, CALIFORNIA

December 10, 1954

Dear Miss Kellogg:

I am so very sorry to have been so long about answering your card and letter. With Mrs. Rajagopal away, I am trying to take care of her classes and duties as well as my own, and you can imagine how rushed I am.

I was so glad to have the information about the films, and also your advice and suggestions. It will be a great help, I am sure.

The list of art books is so generous, and they will make a fine "section" in our Library, and one which will be much used. We have just had a notice from the Express Company that they have arrived, and I will write you at greater length when I have unpacked them. This is just a brief word to tell you they have come, and to apologize again for my wretched delay in answering your kind letter.

With all good wishes for the holidays, and our warmest gratitude,

Very sincerely yours,

Anne Arundel Hopkins

(Miss) Anne Arundel Hopkins
Assistant Director

P.S. I am so happy that you remembered my "special interest" and am looking forward to reading the articles you mentioned. Thank you again.

Miss Jean Kellogg
Route 1, Box 141
Carmel, California

THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL
OJAI, CALIFORNIA

January 19, 1955

Dearest Jean:

Thank you for your letters of December 10 to Raja and me. I hope you will excuse this long delay in answering them. When I returned from the east the whole family was with us over the Christmas holidays and you can imagine how busy we were. I am just now trying to see that all letters are answered.

I hope the enclosed letter is as you want it, and if it is not, we shall be glad to change it. You know how deeply we do appreciate what you are doing for us, and your interest and personal help mean more to us than we can say.

Anne asked me to tell you that the art books have come and we both think it is best to have them in a case which can be locked, as they are such valuable books. We think they should be shown very specially as a great treat, under supervision. Thank you very much for sending them to us.

I had a very rushed trip east to New York. I saw Margot, now called Mrs. John Wilkie, and her new family, and I think she is extremely happy. We hope that she comes here in February and you will no doubt see her soon after in Carmel.

I do hope all is well with you and your dear mother. I very often think of you both on the lovely Point, and the nicest thing that either of you could do for us would be to try to spend a few days here each winter. Please thank your mother for her nice little note and I send you both every good wish for the new year.

With much love,

Roselind

P.S. I am returning herewith your letter of November 19, 1954, as you have requested.

THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL
OJAI, CALIFORNIA

April 5, 1955

Dear Jean:

Thank you so very much for sending us the package of art magazines. I cannot tell you how much we do appreciate your helping us in this way and we are very glad to have the magazines. When I have time I know I too shall enjoy looking at them.

Thank you also for your letter of March 27 and enclosed clipping. Susan Porter is going to tell some of her Irish folk stories here at the school on Wednesday.

I am leaving for Berkeley at the end of this week and it would be lovely if somehow I could manage to see you and your mother. Please let me know if there is any possibility of your coming to Berkeley. If there is not, I shall try to get in touch with you. I think you know Radha's address and telephone number which I am enclosing.

With every good wish and much love to you and your mother,

Rosalind

Mrs. James M. Sloss
2 Parnassus
Berkeley 8

Ashbury 3-4676

THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL
OJAI CALIFORNIA

May 5, 1955

Dear Jean:

There are no words to express our appreciation for your starting the Jean Kellogg Scholarship for this school for a student interested in art, and thank you for your check of \$250.00. It is such an expression of faith in this enterprise, and one cannot see what it will lead to. As we said in our conversation, the beginning is the important thing, and the end will take care of itself. This we feel is a very important beginning as it is the first scholarship given to this school.

With grateful thanks,

Affectionately,

Rosalind

(Mrs.) Rosalind Rajagopal
Director

Miss Jean Kellogg
Rt. 1, Box 141
Carmel, California



No 239 August 28th 1952

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November 18, 1955

Dearest Jean:

Thank you so much for sending the post cards and letters, and for the most interesting article you sent about your mother. What a rich and wonderful life she has had! Please give her my dearest love and tell her how happy we are to be connected with her.

I do hope you both are feeling well. I have asked the Rosses when they go to Carmel to stop to see you and your mother, giving you news of the school, and showing you plans he has made for a possible new dormitory. He is chairman of our school Board of Directors.

I hope you have received the books which I returned to you.

I am taking a few months leave of absence from the school, joining Krishnaji and Raja in Australia, going on to India, to Europe in April, returning here in May. It seems a good time to leave as the school is going in a really wonderful way and has a very good and very strong group doing the work.

I think of you and your mother so much and I am sorry I did not have a chance to hop in and see you both before taking off.

With much, much love to you both,

Rosalind

ARYA VIHARA
Ojai, California

Dearest Jean:

Thank you for your letter and address in Hawaii. There would hardly have been time for me to write the letters before this, so I am glad you gave me this address.

I hope you have made a good start and will have a little rest now before your long journey. I have written Mrs. Shiva Rao, 16 Tughlak Road, New Delhi and Mr. R. Madhavachari, Rajghat Fort, Rajghat, Benaras. I will write Mrs. Chandu Ratansi, 8 Carmichael Road, Bombay 26 soon.

I hope all goes very well with you and my love and thoughts accompany you.

Maraji - Love,

Will call Annis
at 8.30. The 28th
Sunday.
Rosalind

Mrs. Ratansi - 6.30
or 7.00 -

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Mrs. Jayakar 7 19 48

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Mrs. Ramarao

Mrs. M. Belang -
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Mrs. Telang - Boys' College

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International Institute of Ed. - Science kits
Mrs. Elsie
291 Geary S.F. 2.

THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL

OJAI CALIFORNIA

March 6, 1956

Miss Jean Kellogg
Rt 1 Box 141
Carmel, California

Dear Miss Kellogg,

I am constantly amazed at the number of thoughtful and generous friends that the Happy Valley School possesses. This school is not just made up of the students and faculty, there are countless others, like you, who through their kindness and generocity help to make this school what it is. As chairman of the school council and on behalf of the whole school, I would like to extend my sincerest thanks for your gift of the art magazines. They have been thoroughly enjoyed by all.

With best wishes and many thanks to you, I remain

Sincerely yours,

Helen L. Bee

Helen L. Bee
Chairman
Happy Valley School Council

July 10, 1956

Dearest Jean,

Please forgive me for not answering your letter sooner and especially letting you know we had received your check for the scholarship. As you thought, I came back to a great deal of work, and Radha, Jim and their little family were here ready to depart for Europe. Not being used to little ones about, I carefully put away everything out of their reach, with the result I often could not find the things myself! This has happened to letters and keys, and now I am catching up with my mail. A few days ago we deposited your check and I had your letter ready to answer.

Thank you, dear Jean, for the check and all the good will and kind thoughts that come with it. I think you know how greatly we do appreciate it.

I think it is wonderful for you that you take this trip. I will be glad to talk it over with you and tell you whatever I can that would be of help to you. I am sending you three letters of our trip and will send you the first one when I can get it. After you have read them, would you be so kind as to send them on to Mrs. Sloss in the enclosed envelope?

Radha and Jim are in Europe and I am taking care of their babies. When they return in September I will go north for a few days and may be able to drive you back here with me about the middle of September. It will be lovely to see you and your mother soon and please plan to stay here as long as you can. School opens September 24.

I hope you both are well, and please give your mother my dearest love.

With much, much love to you,

Rosalind

September 25, 1956

Dearest Jean:

Thank you for your letter of September 8.

I am sorry that you are not coming to Los Angeles in September, but I expect to be coming north the latter part of October and will surely arrange to come to see you and your mother if the time is convenient to you. I will get in touch with you later when I know the exact dates and see how it works out with you. I am so looking forward to seeing you and your mother.

I hope all is well with you and your dear mother.

With much love to you both,

Affectionately,

Rosalind

January 25, 1957

Dearest Jean:

Thank you so much for your most lovely letter. I am very glad about the way you feel about everything, and it will be so nice to see you and have all your news. Your trip has surely been more than worthwhile -- I am so very happy about it. I have also heard from others about you, and they all liked you so much.

I know that arrangements have been made for Krishnaji to see you in Bombay, and I am also writing to Shrimati Chandu Morarji, 8 Carmichael Road, Bombay 26. I am sure that you will like meeting her. She is the daughter-in-law of Krishnaji's host and lives in the same house where he will be staying.

Please do not forget your promise to come and stay here as soon as you can after you get back -- perhaps before you throw yourself into your work.

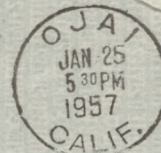
With much love to you, dear Jean,

Rosalind

Mrs. Rosalind Rajagopal

Arya Vihara

Ojai, California



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Miss Jean Kellogg

Taj Mahal Hotel

Bombay 26, INDIA

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May 28, 1957

Dear Charlotte:

Thank you for your letter of May 23 and I am so looking forward to seeing you and Jean this summer. Also it will be so nice to see Jean down here soon, and Anne is writing her details.

I enjoyed seeing your friends the Klenes here and to hear all the news.

I hope that everything is still going well for you,

With much love,

Rosalind.

P.S. would you mind please telling Jean that her room will be ready at Sarovihara & to make herself at home there until I return from Hollywood. We have scheduled to speak Wed 11 am June 12 - Anne will be writing her - R.

June 22, 1957

Dearest Jean:

Thank you so much for your letter of June 19 with the telephone number. Dear Jean, it is we who should thank you for the very fine, inspiring talk you gave to all of us. I am sure it will make a lasting impression on many -- we are very grateful for your having taken so much trouble to come here to give it to us. I was so happy that you were able to stay with us for a little while even though I was not able to do anything for you. I hope you will come here often.

Thank you so much for taking care of the telephone, and I think we should have a private line.

Will you please thank your mother for her kindness in saying that we may come earlier. I am full of appointments and will not be able to leave before Monday, July 1. The weather is cooling off.

I look forward so much to July in Carmel. Please
do not go to any trouble.

With dearest love to you and your mother until we meet,

Affectionately,

Rosalind

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Happy
Birthday



Carmel. July 19 '57

For Dearest Jean - In memory of
this lovely month
love

Rosalind

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THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL
OJAI, CALIFORNIA

\$5 - Contributed

October 8, 1957

Dear Friend:

As you know from the notices which we have been mailing to you, the Happy Valley School, besides an academic program of high quality, provides for its students on an average of once a week or more, exceptional motion pictures, lectures, concerts, and other programs of cultural significance, as well as folk dance evenings and other kinds of extra-curricular events to enrich the lives of the students. We invite the public to as many of these as is feasible.

In most instances it is not possible for us to charge admission or even to ask for contributions. Some of our friends who realize that every such event entails inevitable expense, have expressed a wish to make contributions, and we wish you to know that such contributions are acceptable and are income-tax deductible.

We shall continue to invite you to our programs, and if you are able to share the expenses with us, we should be very grateful.

Sincerely yours,

Rosalind Rajagopal

(Mrs.) Rosalind Rajagopal
Director

RR/mc
Enclosure

THE HAPPY VALLEY SCHOOL
OJAI, CALIFORNIA

October 11, 1957

Dear Miss Kellogg

Mrs. Rajagopal asks me to return this to you with the request that you re-address it to the correct place, if you will be so kind.

I hope that we shall have the pleasure of seeing you here again before too long. I so much enjoyed your talk here.

With kindest regards,

Very sincerely,
Ingrid Casselberry
(Mrs. Byron)

February 19, 1958

Dearest Jean:

Thank you so much for your check for \$250 for scholarship aid. It is wonderful of you to want to go on doing this and I am sure you know how deeply it is appreciated by us all.

It was so nice being at Carmel and seeing you and your mother. I loved our trip to San Francisco together and I am glad that I had a chance to hear your really beautiful talk.

Hope to see you at Easter time.

Dearest love to you both,

Rosalind

May 1, 1958

Dearest Jean:

Thank you very much for your card. As always, it was simply lovely to see you and your mother. I am looking forward, more than I can say, to a month in Carmel in July. Erma and Louis will be there in August, if not before, and so we will be able to work out the time spent there very nicely among ourselves. I only hope we are not too much bother for you.

Enclosed is my check, and it should have been paid before the first of May.

Everything is going very well in ~~this~~ school, but I am sure that you know that May is one of the busiest months. Please give my dearest love to your mother, and I hope all is going well with both of you.

I often think of the beautiful sea that we had when I was there.

With much love to you, dearest Jean,

Rosalind

THE HAPPY VALLEY FOUNDATION
OJAI CALIFORNIA

P. O. BOX 804

ZIP 93023

June 9, 1966

Dearest Jean and Jim:

Thank you so much for your letter of May 20. It was most kind of you to send a contribution to the school, and I am glad you liked the brochure. I am happy that your interest in the school continues, and I want you to meet the new director when it can be arranged.

I do hope all is well with you both, and it must be if you are hard at work!

Erma and I may come north in July and I long to see you.

With much, much love, and again, many thanks.

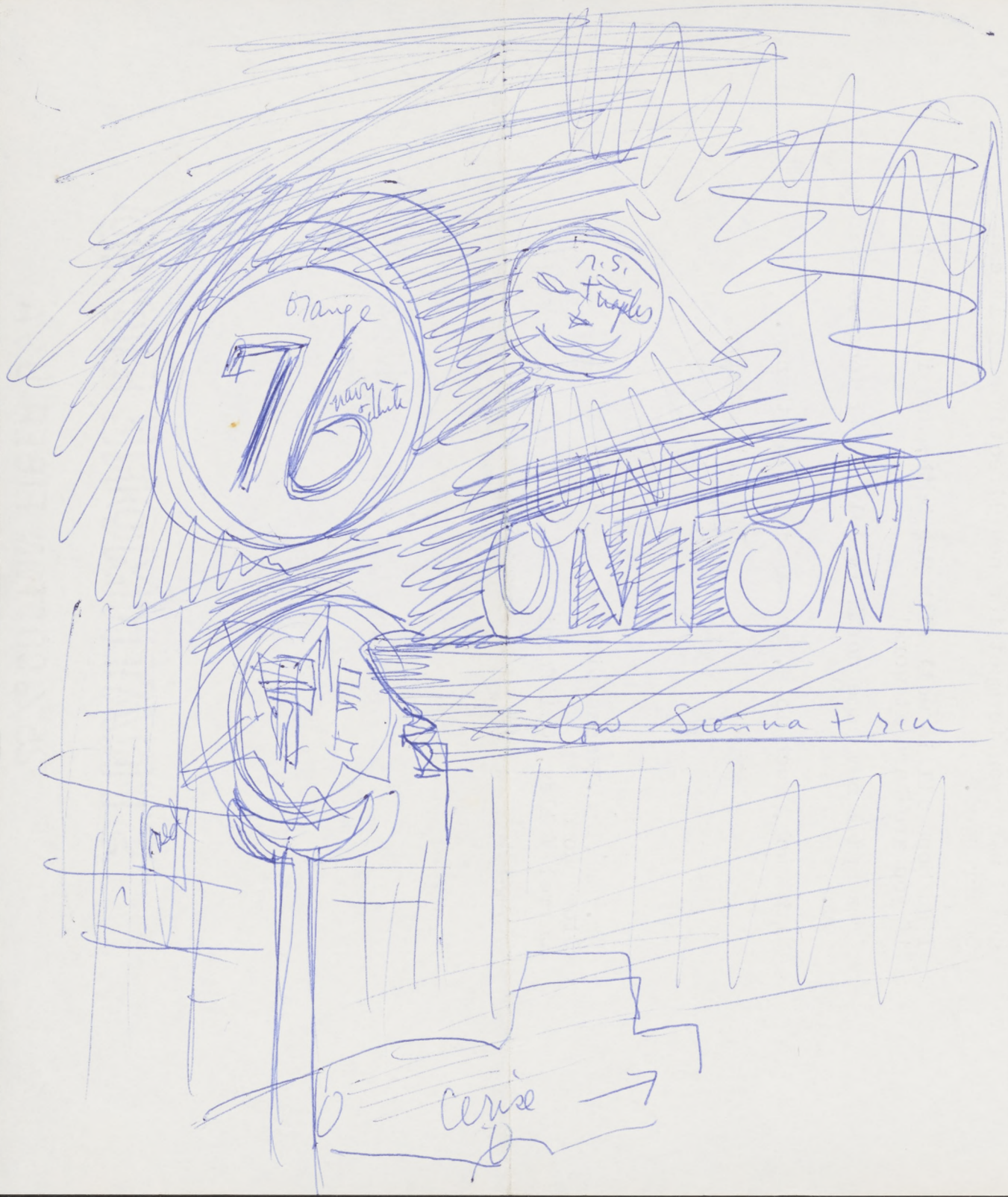
Affectionately,

Rosalind

Mr. and Mrs. James Dickie
Story Road
Carmel Valley, California

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Aug. 27 '66

P. O. Box 804

Ojai Calif

Dearest Jean,

I am so sorry our plans did not work out so that we could drive north this summer. I am glad you and Jim had this quiet time at Paso Robles but it is hard to think you were so close and we could not meet.

This summer has gone so quickly - I do not know when. I am sure you know that the little Slov family is in Europe. Jim received a substantial grant and was to have gone to the mathematical conference in Moscow but there were so many complications he did not go.

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They got as far as Stockholm.
They return the end of September
I have had three dogs all summer!

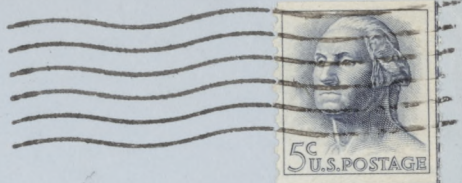
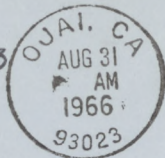
I would like you to meet
George Jaidar, our new director.
I hope everything works out for him
as he seems ideally suited for the
position.

I hope all is going well for you
and Jim. I like visualizing you in your
place even though we always miss the
Point and at the same time always app-
reciate what it gave to us.

Dear Jean, I do miss seeing you
at regular intervals and hope to see
you both in January if not before.

With much love to you & Jim.
Rosalind.

R. Rajagopal
P. O. Box 804
Ojai, Calif. 93023



Mrs. James Dickie,

Story Road,

Carmel Valley, Calif. 93924.

Call Erma

P. O. Box 804,
Ojai, Calif.

Dear Jean,

It was so good to hear from you. I have missed seeing you and I had hoped to bring Erma with me to Carmel on our way back from a conference in S. F. She went with me the end of June. Much as she wanted to she decided against it. She will be eighty in a couple of weeks.

It was sad but expected about Howard Patten. I forwarded your letter to the Hacienda in Carmel.

Dear Jean, I hope your gallery is flourishing and I am sure you know I wish you and Jim all the best in your life's work. What you are doing sounds so right and you must be very busy.

The Elross's are going to New York this year and I shall be spending a couple of months there. I

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hope Emma will come too. If you or Jim
should go East please be sure and let
us know.

I think of you often and
often even tho I don't write. you know
I am the world's worst letter-writer.

With much, much love to you & Jim

Rosalind

THE HAPPY VALLEY FOUNDATION
OJAI CALIFORNIA

July 3, 1968

P. O. BOX 804
ZIP 93023

Dearest Jean,

It was so nice of you to write a letter when I know how busy you are. Erma and I both loved talking to you and Jim on the telephone. We have been feeling badly that there has been so little contact these last few years. We can never forget all the wonderful times we all have had together.

I am delighted to hear from "others" how well your gallery is going. You and Jim have really developed a wonderful life together with his book and your work.

Please just telephone whenever you feel you have a few days and I shall meet you in Santa Barbara and bring you to Ojai.

Much, much love to you both,

Rosalind

Mrs. James Dickey
Jean Kellogg Gallery
Village Plaza, Delfino Place
Carmel Valley, California 93924

RR/mc

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Jeffrey*

*Blanche Friday
Jeffrey*

428 Monroe Street, #2
Monterey, Ca 93940

April 24, 1986

Dearest Rosalind,

It was so good of you to telephone here as you did. James continues to improve slowly. New tests will determine if he can do without a difficult drug. In hopeful anticipation, the doctor has already removed it. It regulates heart rhythm, but like all these new amazing chemicals it has side effects. Jim feels much better today, and thanks you for your faithful concern.

We were so glad that you were feeling well--in spite of an injury to your foot, and that you would be able to go to S.F. for such a nice occasion. The news about the Louis Zalk Library is of great interest--and so appropriate. We are sending you a package of books to mark the occasion. See list below. Do you remember that Louis gave me away at my wedding at the Point? And Mother was so fond of him--calling him "Louis the Lithuanian"? You see, Mother knew all about Lithuania because of her studdies for her book, JADWIGA. But then, she loved all of you, and you and she were great pals. Erma sent us that wonderful book from the Ranch, & we use it!

Am glad you liked the article about Merle & The Shepherdess. It is a bit of history.

Love from us both, and keep well.

Items in package of books:

- 1 Art Book, France, 1962. HOLLANDE by Jean Bazaine
texte de Jean Tardieu
- 2 Hungarian Ethnographic publications (2) Budapest, 1932
collection, Charlotte Kellogg
- 3 Four books by James Dickie (one inscribed to Library)
others could be used in class
- 4 THE LIGHTS OF CANOPUS, London. Inscribed by Mrs. Charles Elliot
(Former owner of The Point,) and reinscribed to Library by J.K.D.
- 5 THEBES by Jean Capart. An important book by the great Belgian
Egyptologist. Dr. Capart was a friend of my mother's. Some day
I'll send you a small inscribed book on the opening of the
Tomb of Tutankamen. A note of Dedication is in front of book.
- 6 THE GIRL WHO RULED A KINGDOM a juvenile by Charlotte Kellogg
- 7 GOYA Prado, Madrid, Cien Dibujos Ineditos

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Mrs. Jean Dickie
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Dear Jean:

I don't believe that we have ever met, but you might know me through Happy Valley correspondence as the director of the school. Rosalind shared your thoughtful letter with me, as well as the news of your donation to the Zalk library. Thank you for this wonderful selection of books, each of which will enrich our collection. The library is beautiful and we are in the continual process of organizing and cataloguing four decades of acquisitions, bringing reference materials up to date, and generally molding a broad collection of material into a working library for research. It is a slow process.

Thank you especially for your interest in the school. It is a very special place, and it is nice to know that others think so too.

Best wishes,

Dennis

Dennis Rice-Leary